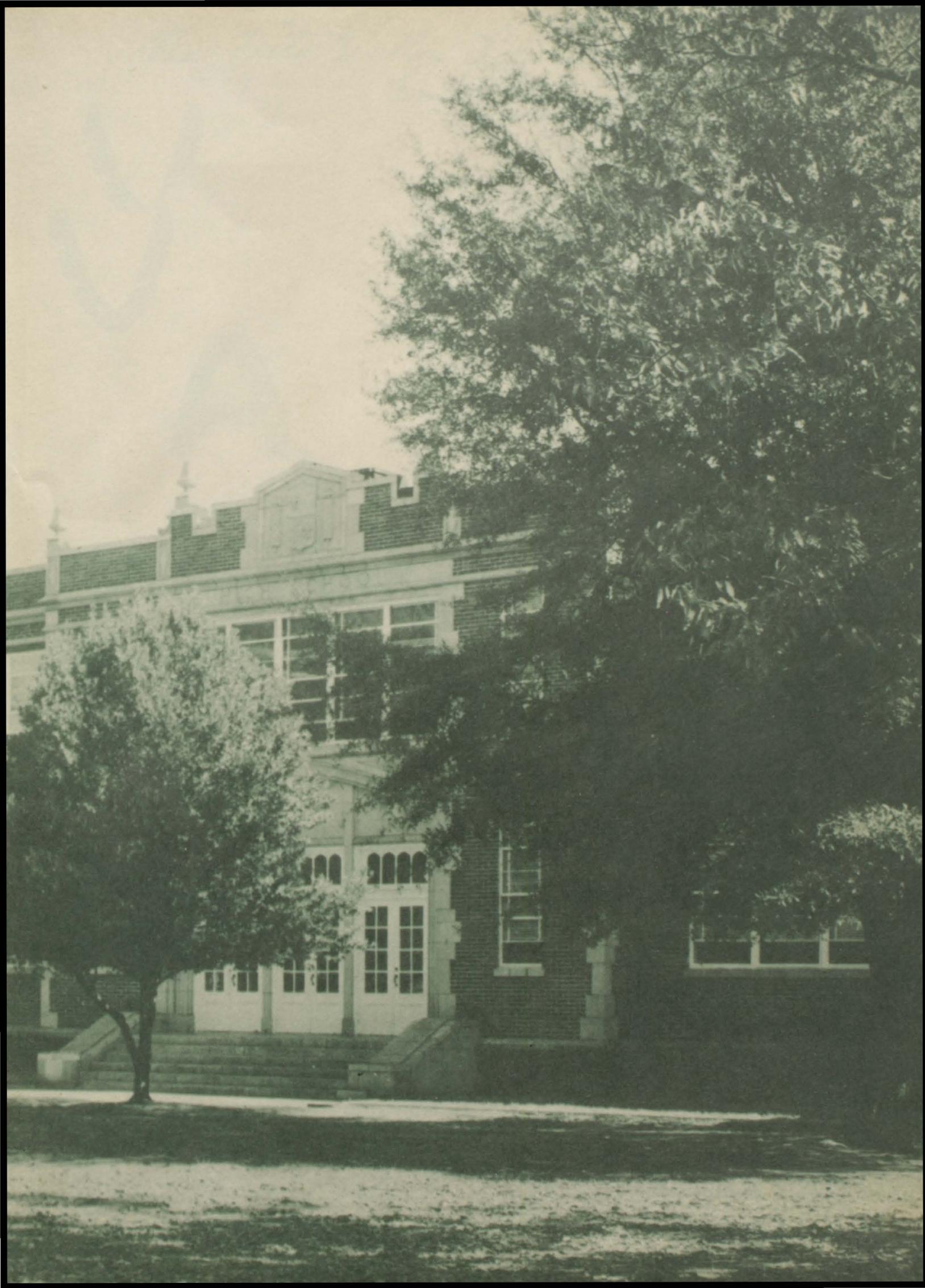
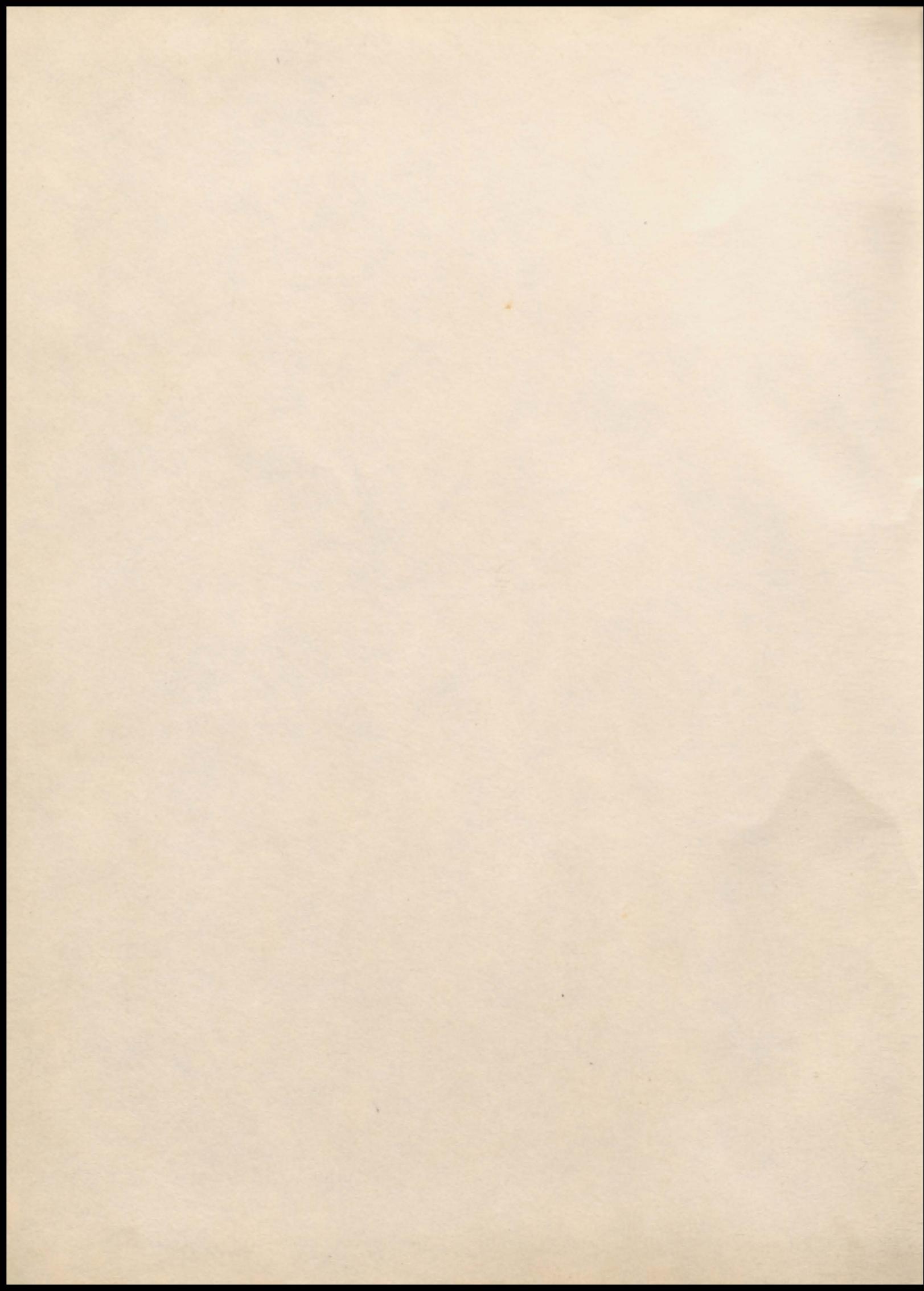


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*Seniors —*



*Our Friends* —

*Our School*



*Our Activities*



## *Our Athletics*



*Our Year at F.V.H.S....*





## *Miss Eleanor Bell*

In deepest gratitude to one who has done much to prepare us to meet the challenge of life we dedicate this seventh edition of the *Vallihi*.



*Superintendent, MR. ANDERSON*

## *Superintendent's Message*

Class of '56, you've sought and won new knowledge, new powers, and new friends during the years you have spent here at Fort Valley High School, and these years will prove to be the most important years of your life.

You will leave us in a few weeks. As you leave, don't forget a part of the school will go with you, and that you will leave part of yourself with Fort Valley High School. You cannot forget your years here. Neither can we help remembering you for all of the contributions you have made to help F.V.H.S. to hold high her literary and athletic banners.

I admire you very much. You are a class of which all of us are proud. I shall continue my interest in you, and wish for you success and happiness.

*Ernest R. Anderson*

## *Our Administration*



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*Secretary*



MRS. GEORGE WHEATON  
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GLADYS HALL  
Geography



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Arithmetic





## *Senior Officers*

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Advisor .....	MISS THELMA WILSON



### BETTY JEAN ANDREWS

*"We've graduated, Pat is gone, who'll look after me now?"*  
FHA—Sophomore, Junior, Senior; Tri-Hi-Y—Sophomore;  
Dramatic Club—Junior; Glee Club—Junior.



### GAYNELLE AYERS

*"Her love is Reel"*

Basketball — Freshman, Sophomore, Junior, Senior; FHA—Sophomore, Junior, Senior; Treasurer FHA—Senior; Secretary Senior Class—Senior; Vallihi Staff—Senior; Dramatic Club—Junior; Glee Club—Junior



### JO BETH BARTLETT

*"Talk to me, George Henry!"*

Beta Club—Freshman; Tri-Hi-Y—Freshman, Sophomore, Junior, Senior; Band—Freshman, Sophomore, Junior, Senior; Latin Club—Junior, Senior; Dramatic Club—Sophomore, Junior, Senior; Clarinet Solo—Junior, Senior; Clarinet Trio—Sophomore, Senior.

MICHAEL BORDERS

*"Quiet as a mouse"*

W Club—Freshman, Sophomore, Junior, Senior; President  
W Club—Senior; Glee Club—Senior; Industrial Arts Club  
Senior.



PEGGY CHILDRE

*"Dynamite comes in small packages"*

Transfer from Valdosta. Music—Sophomore, Junior, Senior;  
Band—Sophomore, Junior, Senior; FHA—Junior, Senior.

LIZ CAMPION

Glee Club—Junior; Transfer from Pennsylvania; Cheerleader — Senior; Dramatics Club—Junior, Senior; Annual Staff—Senior; Latin Club—Junior, Senior; Tri-Hi-Y—Junior, Senior; Youth Assemble Senator—Senior.



DOT COLLINS

*"And Dot's laughter is still ringing in the hall"*

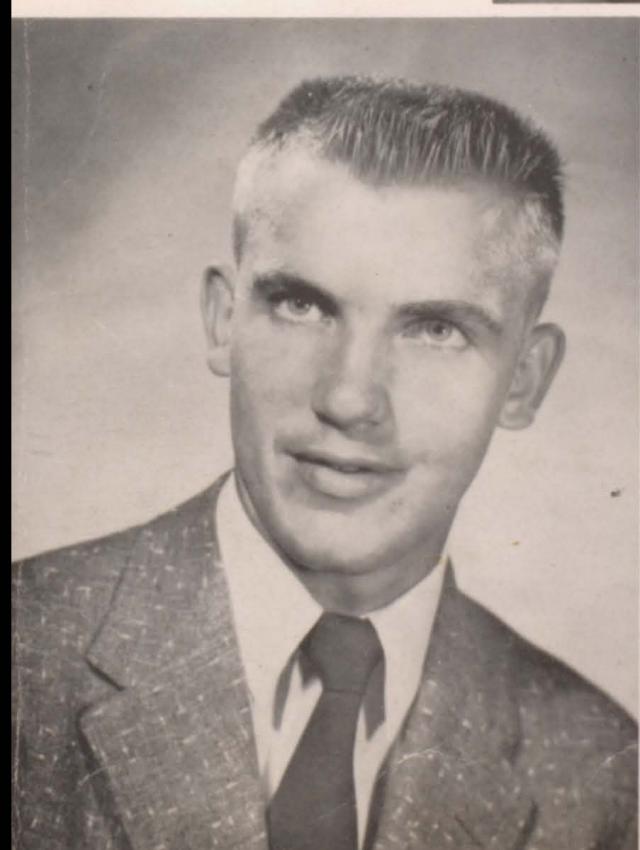
FHA—Sophomore, Junior, Senior.



TRINCHUA CONE

*"I love LIFE, but how loves me?"*

Transfer from Macon; FHA Senior.



GENE CROWE

*"Ab, Papa John"*

Football—Junior, Senior; Hi-Y—Senior; Glee Club—Junior, Senior; FFA—Freshman, Sophomore; Industrial Arts Club—Senior; Dramatics Club—Sophomore, Junior, Senior.





WYNELLE CUMMINGS

*"Here today and gone tomorrow . . . to Macon with  
Betty Jean"*

Beta Club—Freshman; Dramatics Club—Freshman; FHA—  
Sophomore, Junior, Senior; FHA Reporter—Junior; FHA—  
Vice President, Senior; Band—Freshman, Sophomore, Jun-  
ior, Senior.



MARY DIXON

*"GOSH, but he's so young"*  
Transfer from Blackshear. Tri-  
Hi-Y—Senior; FHA—Senior.



A. W. DORSEY

*"Always late"*

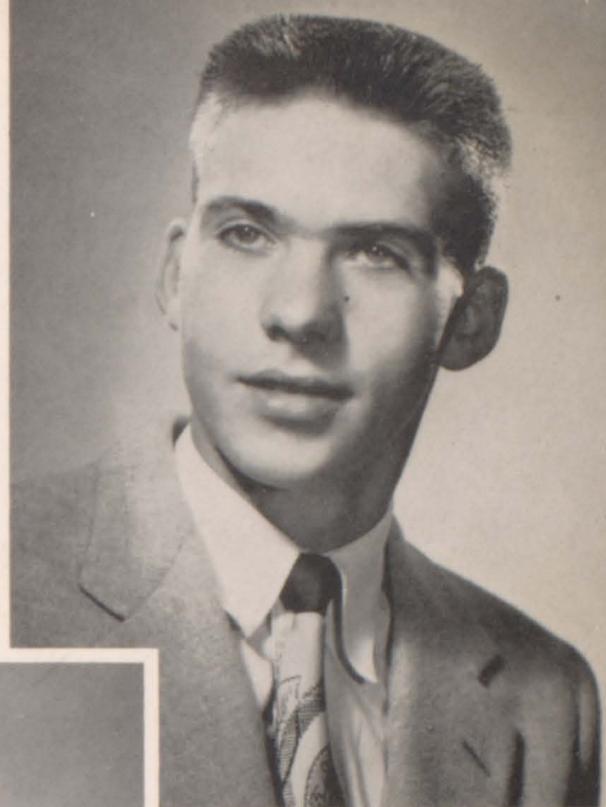
Hi-Y—Junior, Senior; Industrial Arts Club—Senior.



JOHN EVANS

*"Who wants to build a sports car this summer?"*

Football—Junior, Senior; Key Club—Sophomore, Junior, Senior; Annual Staff—Senior; Key Club Vice President—Junior; Key Club Film Coordinator—Senior; Industrial Arts—Senior; Vice President, Industrial Arts—Senior; Minstrel—Junior.



RUBY JUNE GIBSON

*"I don't know"*

FHA—Sophomore, Junior, Senior.



RUBY LEE GREENE

*"Never a useless word"*





PAT HALLMAN

*"Just ask me, I can tell you how many days we have left  
to come to school!"*

FHA—Freshman, Sophomore, Junior, Senior; Dramatic Club—Sophomore, Junior; Tri-Hi-Y—Sophomore; Glee Club—Junior.



GARY HORTMAN

*"The boy in the yellow  
convertible"*

FFA—Freshman, Sophomore; Industrial Arts Club—Senior.



MARY KILLEN HOUSER

*"Cloud's from heaven"*

FHA—Freshman, Sophomore, Junior, Senior; Dramatics Club—Sophomore, Junior; Tri-Hi-Y—Junior; Glee Club—Senior.



### BEVERLY HUDSON

*"Hope for tomorrow; today is already shot"*

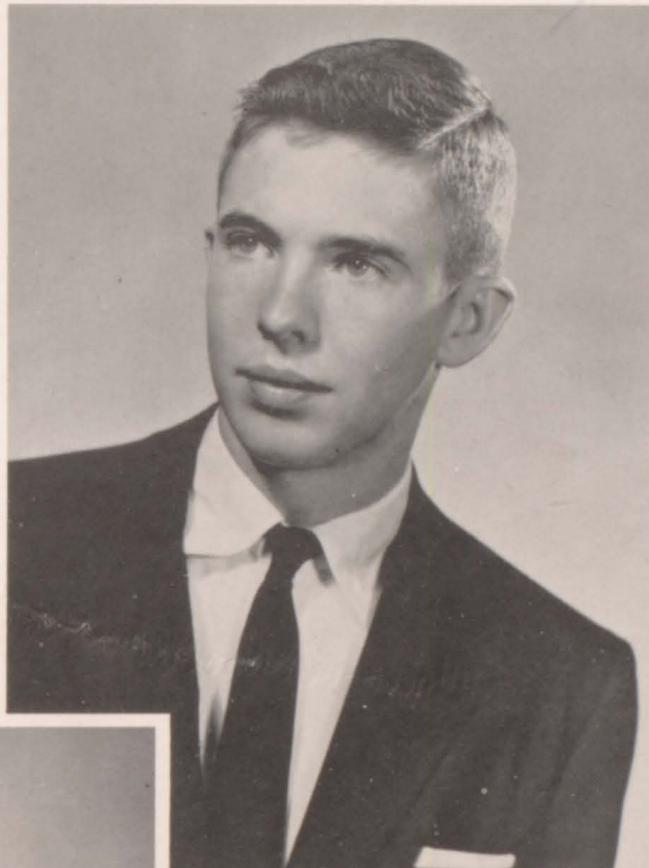
Beta Club—Freshman; Glee Club—Freshman; Band—Sophomore, Junior, Senior; FHA—Sophomore; Tri-Hi-Y—Sophomore, Junior, Senior; Tri-Hi-Y—Vice President, Senior; 4-H Club—Sophomore; 4-H Club Secretary—Sophomore; Latin Club—Junior, Senior; Secretary-Treasurer—Junior Class; Treasurer—Senior Class; Annual Staff—Senior; Dramatics Club—Sophomore, Junior.



### AL HUTTO

*"When I get rich I'm going to have plenty of money."*

Basketball—Junior, Senior; Football—Junior; Track—Freshman, Sophomore, Junior, Senior; Golf-Team—Sophomore, Junior, Senior; Hi-Y—Freshman, Sophomore, Junior, Senior; Beta Club—Freshman; Key Club—Junior, Senior; Key Club Vice President—Senior; Dramatics Club—Junior; Industrial Arts Club—Senior; Latin Club—Junior; Annual Staff—Senior; Assistant Editor—Senior; Read VIP Joke Book—Freshman, Sophomore, Junior, Senior.



### CLAUDIA KNIGHT

*"Just one big flirt"*

FHA—Freshman, Sophomore, Junior, Senior; Dramatics Club—Sophomore.



ELAINE McMONIGAL

*"Y'all will never catch me saying you all."*  
Transfer from Pennsylvania.



HARRELL MIDDLEBROOKS

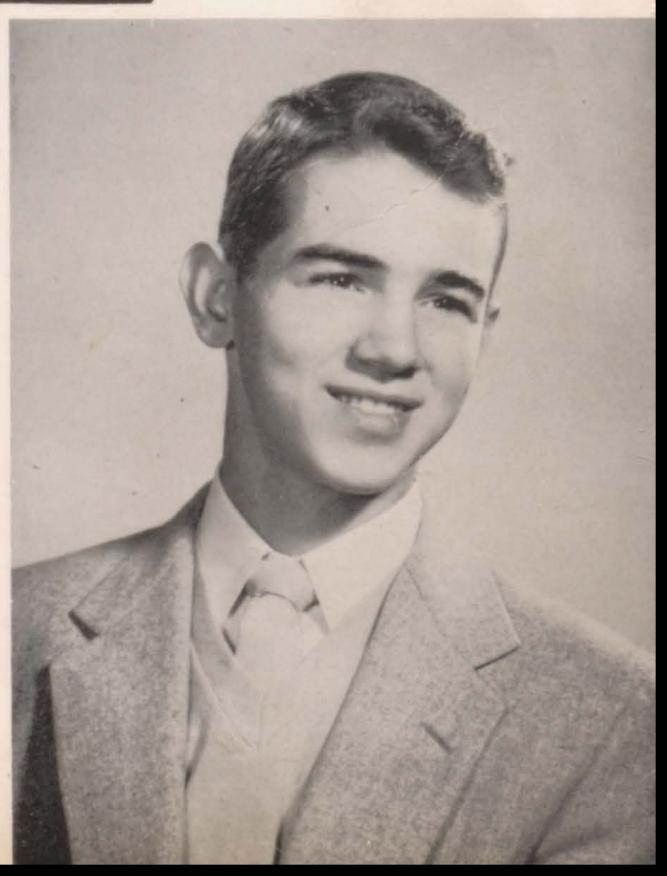
*"Got anything that needs fixing?"*  
Dramatics Club—Freshman; 4-H Club—Freshman, Sophomore; Glee Club—Junior, Senior; Dramatics Club—Senior.



HERSCHEL POLLARD

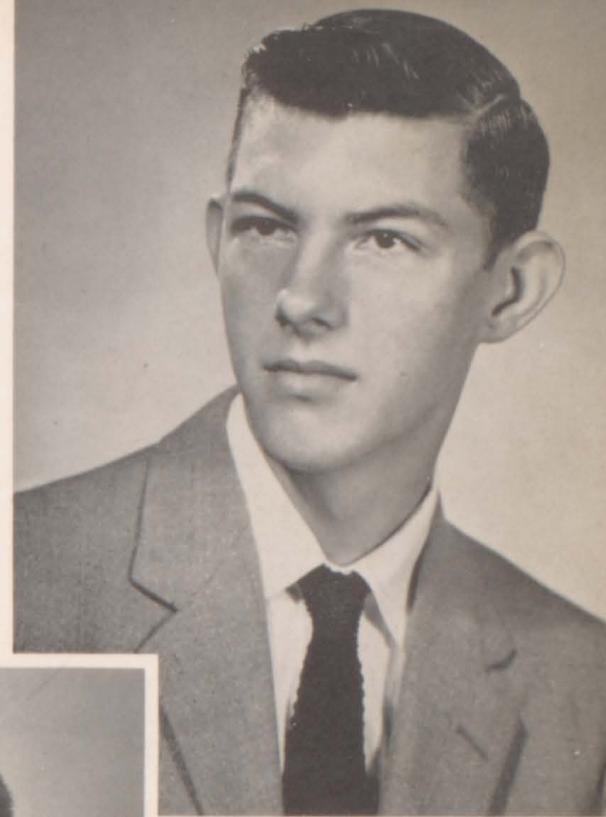
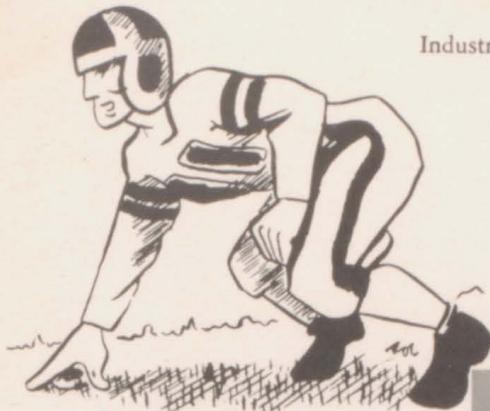
*I can resist anything but temptation"*

Annual Editor—Senior; Annual Staff—Junior, Senior; Vice President Junior Class—Junior; Key Club—Junior, Senior; Key Club President—Senior; Hi-Y—Junior, Senior; Latin Club—Junior, Senior; Hi-Y Reporter—Junior; Beta Club—Freshman; Dramatics Club—Senior; Track—Junior, Senior; Glee Club—Junior, Senior.



RUSSEL RAY

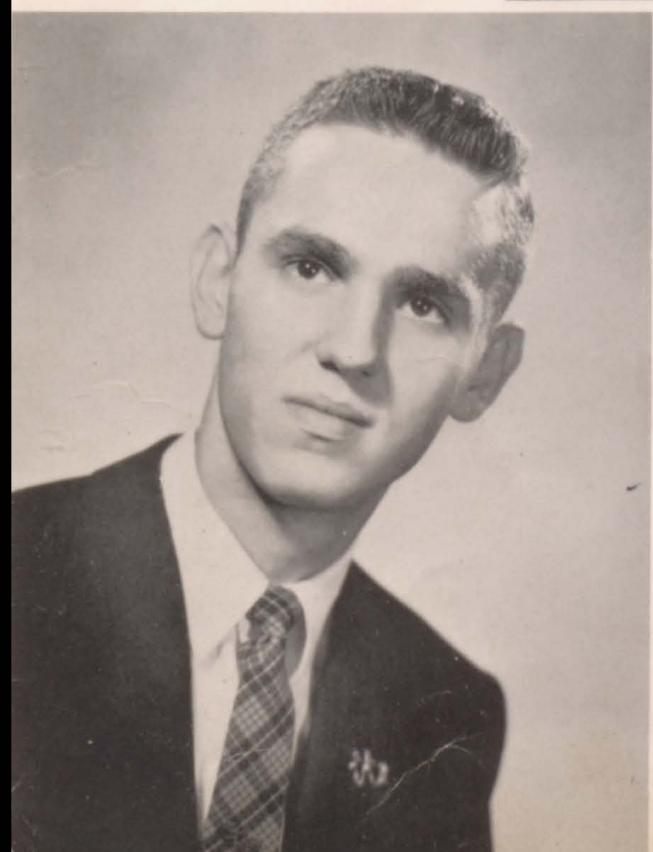
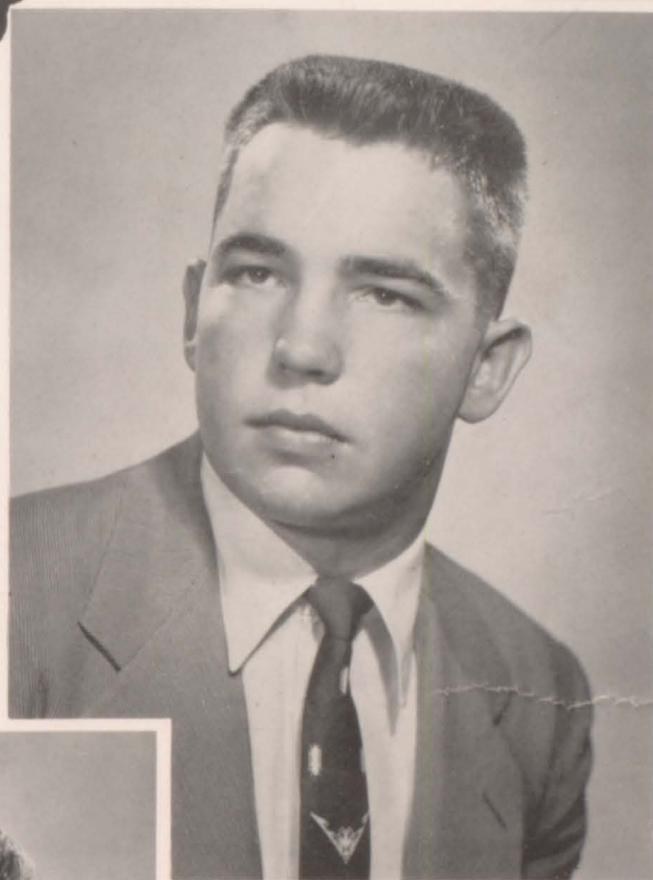
*"Always happy—never sad"*  
Industrial Arts Club—Senior; FFA—Freshman.



BILL SCHOFILL

*"There's a man among you boys now"*

Football—Freshman, Sophomore, Junior, Senior; FFA—Freshman; Hi-Y—Junior, Senior; Dramatic Club—Senior; Industrial Arts Club—Senior.



PAUL SPAHOS

*"Vote for me and I'll Kiss all your babies."*  
President Senior Class—Senior; President Junior Class—Junior; President Hi-Y—Junior, Senior; Hi-Y—Sophomore, Junior, Senior; Debate—Senior; District Play—Senior; Dramatics Club—Sophomore, Junior, Senior; Latin Club—Junior, Senior; Chaplain of House—Senior; Glee Club—Junior.



BARBARA ANNE STAFFORD

*"Naughty but nice"*

FHA—Junior, Senior; Dramatics Club—Junior.



RONNIE STANLEY

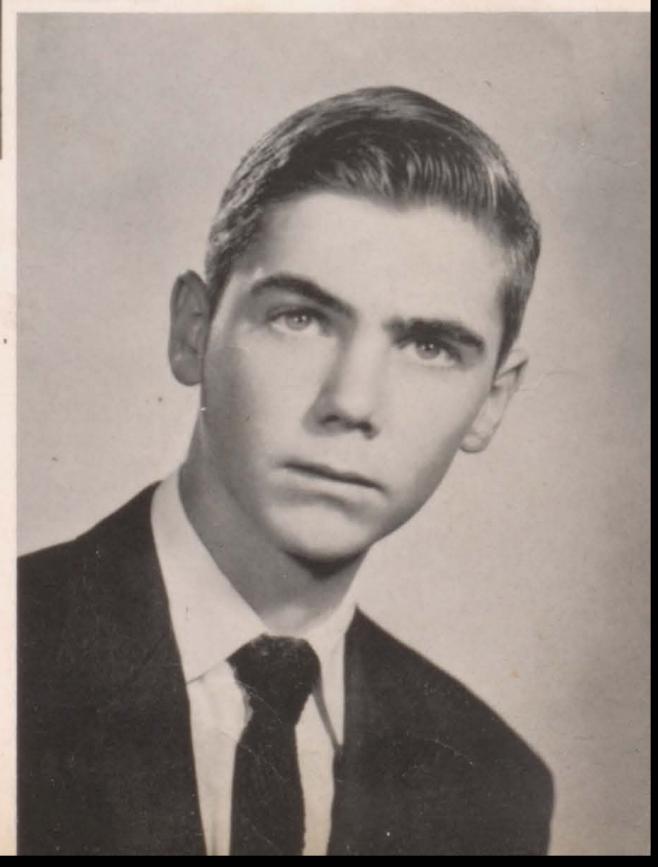
*"Well, Hello there, how in the world are you?"*

Band—Sophomore; Glee Club—Junior; Hi-Y—Sophomore, Junior, Senior; Industrial Arts Club—Senior; Industrial Arts Club Secretary-Treasurer—Senior.

BILL THARPE

*Awwww Go on!"*

4-H Club—Freshman; Industrial Arts Club—Senior.



### DORIS Vining

*"Don't TEECE me so"*

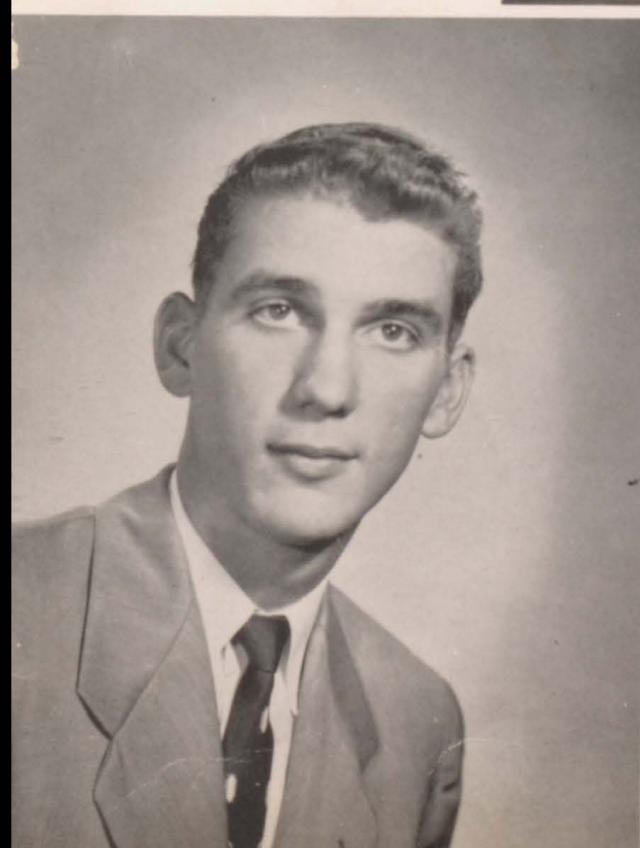
Dramatic Club—Freshman; FHA—Freshman, Sophomore, Junior, Senior; Glee Club—Senior.



### JEROME WALKER

*"Jerome, you regal thing, you"*

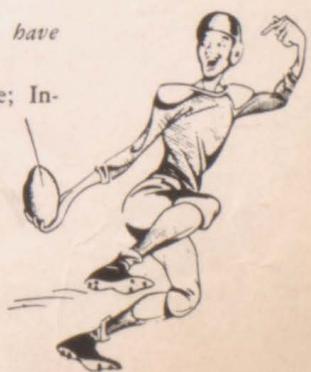
One Act Play—Senior; Dramatics Club—Senior; Hi-Y—Freshman, Junior, Senior; Hi-Y Vice President—Junior; Hi-Y Parliamentarian—Senior; Key Club—Junior, Senior; Annual Business Manager—Senior; Annual Staff—Senior; District Essay—Junior; Industrial Arts—Senior; Band—Junior; FFA—Freshman.



### DAVID WESTMORELAND

*"Sure Shakespeare was crazy; how else could he have thought of 'Macbeth'?"*

Football—Freshman, Junior, Senior; FFA—Sophomore; Industrial Arts Club—Senior.

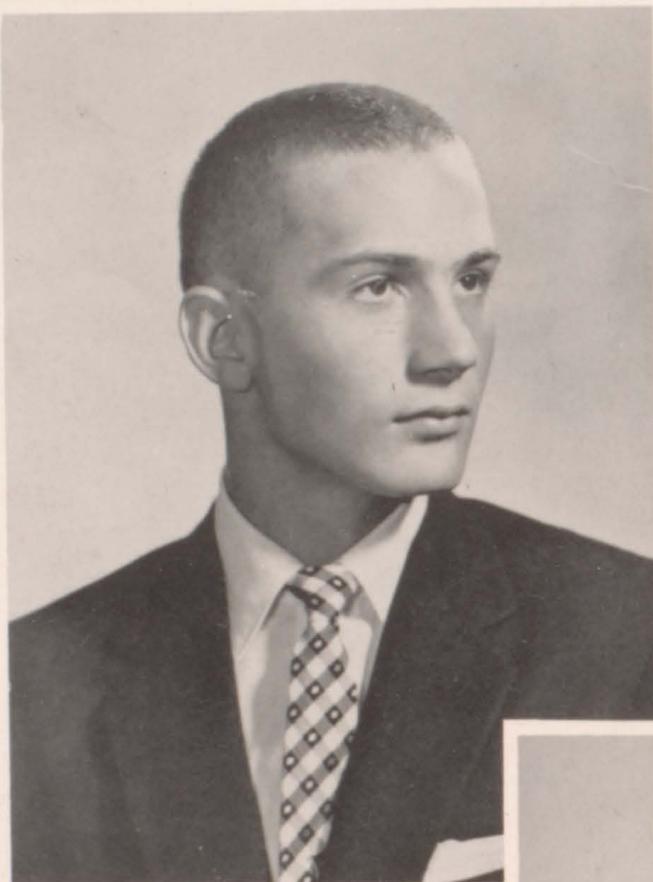




HENRY WHEATON

*"Ready set—Git One, Git two, Get Jo Beth"*

Hi-Y—Freshman, Sophomore, Junior, Senior; Key Club—Sophomore, Junior, Senior; Football—Sophomore, Junior, Senior; Basketball—Sophomore, Junior, Senior; Quartet—Junior, Senior; Latin Club—Junior, Senior; Beta Club—Freshman; District Treasury, Key Club—Junior; Local Treasury—Junior; Vice President Senior Class—Senior; Band—Freshman, Sophomore.



CLIFF WHITE

*"You like it, though Don't you?"*

Band—Freshman, Sophomore, Junior, Senior; Hi-Y—Freshman, Sophomore, Junior, Senior; Key Club—Senior; Annual Staff—Senior; Assistant Editor—Senior; Glee Club—Junior, Senior; Football—Junior, Senior; Golf Team—Junior, Senior.



GENE WORSHAM

*"My Aching Back! If My Little Boy Jeff . . ."*

Football—Freshman, Sophomore, Junior, Senior; Track—Junior, Senior; Key Club—Junior, Senior; Dramatics Club—Senior; Industrial Arts Club—Senior; President Industrial Arts Club—Senior; Glee Club—Senior; Hi-Y—Junior, Senior.







## *Junior Class Officers*

Left to right, seated: Benny Matthews, Terrell Dyes. Standing: Pete Brown, Tommy Davis.

President .....	BENNY MATTHEWS
Vice President .....	TOMMY DAVIS
Treasurer .....	TERRELL DYES
Secretary .....	PETE BROWN
Advisor .....	MISS ANNETTE SHEPARD



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Jerry Andell  
Andy Borders  
Shirley Borders



Claire Bradshaw  
James Brand  
Patty Broer  
Pete Brown



Grigsby Chappell  
Carolyn Crowe  
Charles Culpepper  
Peggy Davis



Tommy Davis  
W. L. Dent  
Holly Dupree  
Terrell Dyes



Elaine Edwards  
Hazel Faircloth  
Felder Frederick  
Harmon Frederick



Zelma Gentry  
Albert Hallman  
Jerry Hallman  
Melvin Hancock

Norma Sue Harris  
Mary Lynde Hatcher  
Bunny Johnson  
Billy Jones



Helen Jones  
Lawrence Joyner  
Mary Lee Joyner  
William Khoury

Pansy Little  
Mary Dee Mathews  
Benny Mathews  
Gene McKinney

Martha Murray  
Patricia Newberry  
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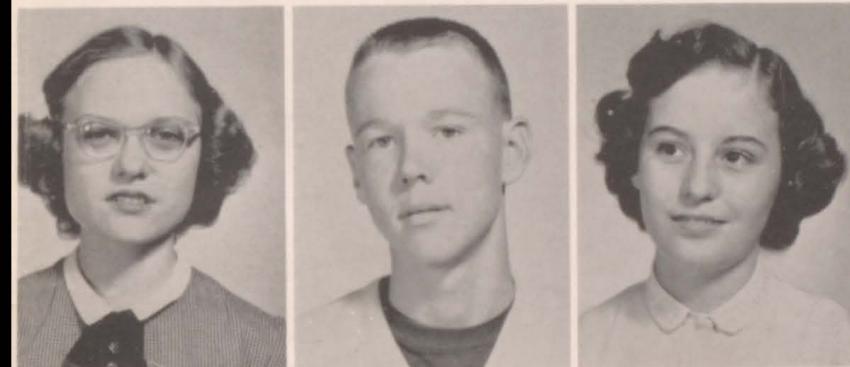
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Jackie Silvers



Nita Simmons  
Norma Jean Skipper  
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Sarah Spurlock



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Maurice Swearingen  
Beverly Taylor  
Tim Thames



Betty Grace Tharpe  
Russell Vennes  
Betty Jo Vining



Melrose Vinson  
Christine Walker



Ellen Weldon  
Algerine Wynn



Left to right: Keith Taylor, Sam McGehee, Olive McDaniel

## *Sophomore Class Officers*

President ..... OLIVE McDANIEL

Vice President ..... KEITH TAYLOR

Treasurer ..... SAM McGEHEE



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Ray Anthoine  
Roy Anthoine  
Alton Barr



Noel Bramlett  
Paula Bryant  
Gene Burnette  
Kathrine Byrd



Luthor Calhoun  
Linda Camp  
Furman Cliett  
Beverly Collins



Freddie Collins  
Nann Crosley  
Sandra Davis  
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Dona Dooley  
Jo Anne Fagan  
Jerry Fuller



Christine Gassett  
Particia Gibson  
Carol Greer  
Maurice Harper





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Larry Hortman  
Joyce Law



Joe Liipfert  
Sandra Lynn  
Woody Marchman  
Bobby Martin



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Sarah Lynn McFarland  
Sam McGehee  
Louis McKinney

Frances Monk  
Delores Moody  
J. W. Moody  
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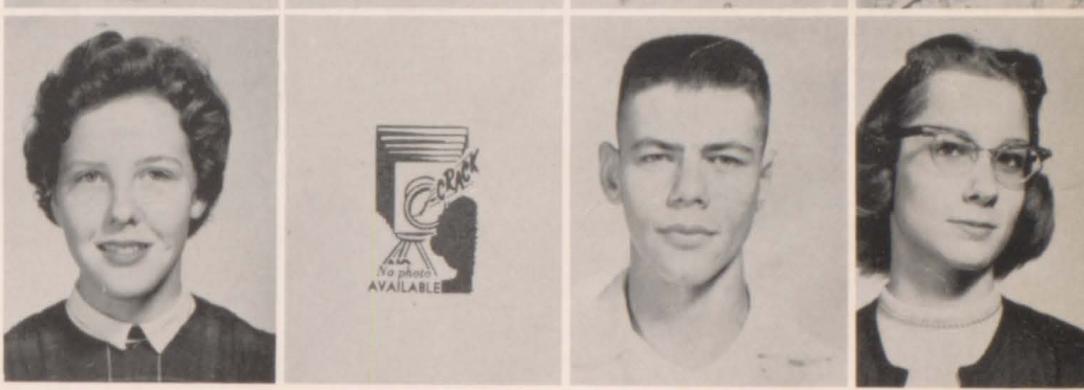
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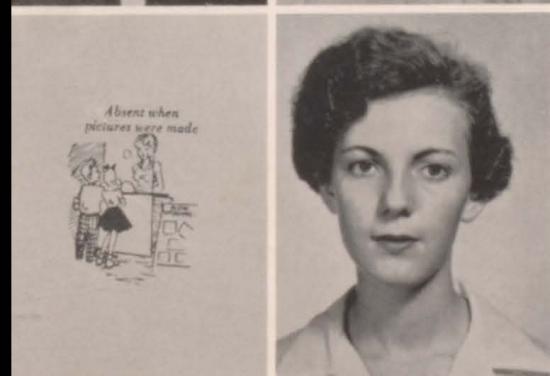
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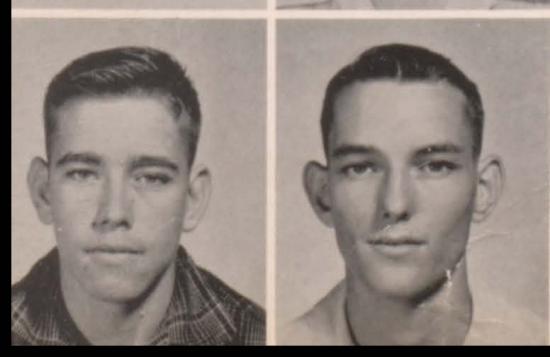
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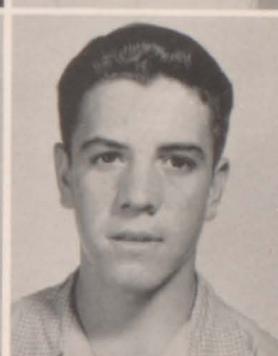
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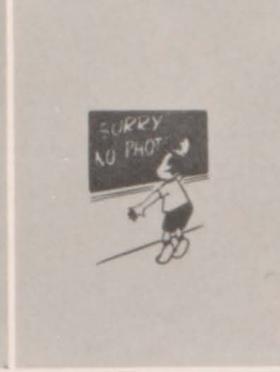
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Jerry Smith  
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Jerry Tharpe  
Billie Walker



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## *Freshman Officers*

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Vice President, Dan Joyner  
Secretary-Treasurer, Beverly Hall

Edward Woodard  
Bobby Vinning  
Kay Young





## *Eight "A"*

Top to bottom, first row: Harold Cummings, Foch Cummings, Harris Greathouse, Lamar Murdock, Donnie Hallman, Ernest Anderson, Bleucher Smith, Bill Williams, Marvin Lavendar, John Rowe. Second row: Hubert Fuller, Martha Giles, Jean Hancock, Sandra Bowe, Margaret Collier, Hazel Walton, Lois Greene, Roxy Holt, Mary Frances Camp, Ray Smith. Third row: Bobby Rowland, Janice Bowden, Martha Hudson, Ellen Outler, Sara Jean Harrelson, Lamar Middlebrooks, Paul Lee, Roy Dent. Fourth row: Howard Wynn, Larry Borders, Mary Ann Foskey, Carol Teece, Carolyn Barnes, Betty Gregory.



## *Eight "B"*

Top to bottom, first row: Sara Ruth Bloodworth, Russell Welch, Rebecca Ayers, Ellis Brown, Eugene Mullins, Jimmy Chapman, Douglas Dooley, Laverne Moncrief. Second row: Billie Shultz, Dan Scarborough, Gary Stephens, Earl Patterson, Bill McGehee, Bud Haslam, Jimmy Bradshaw, Mike Schofill, Frank Railey. Third row: Helen Knight, Margaret Martin, Rachel Bankston, James Hallman, Jimmy Rowland, Reggie Kocher, Ellis Belflower, Marion Fuller. Fourth row: Janye Tomlinson, Janice Whitaker, Edwina Haslam, Gale Hutto, Lynn Pearson, Cherry Dupree, Anne Marchman, Virginia Faircloth.



## *Seven "A"*

Top row, left to right: Milton Pender, Faye Loudermilk, Joanne Swearingen, Priscilla Belflowers, Nancy Dyes, Price Tucker, Eloise Whittington, Mary Louise Whittington. Second row: Tommy Beard, Ernestine Corley, Nancy Mathews, Joyce Weldon, Charles George, David Bramblett, Jimmy Walton, Billy Holly. Third row: Jackie Hodge, Gordon Mullis, Bob Wells, Wayne Cutrel, Martha Lou North, Ann Doles, Lanelle Railey. Front row: Jerry Anthoine, Gary Smith, Robert Batchelor, Charles Arrowsmith, Jack Gassett, Johnny Bryant, Marlene Murray, John Holcomb.



## *Seven "B"*

Top row, left to right: Georgia Mae Lee, Shirley Collier, Maxcine Thompson, Joann Britt, Judith Greathouse, Cornelia Monk, Linda Barfield, Carol Hallman. Second row: Sandra Bunch, Kay Moody, Frankie McCaniel, Judy Maddox, Iva Lois Foskey, Susan Lowe, Gloria Rowell, Irene Jones, Kaye Mathews. Third row: Maxwell Duke, Jackie Taylor, Frances Snapp, Ronnie Hortman, Ed Mathews, Ronald Larson, Gene Singleton, Owen Bryant, Jean Doles. Front row: John Rue, David Nathan, Donnie Vennes, Billy Joyner, Jimmy Schofill, Chuck Schofill, Charles Collins, Charles Baily, Loring Teeter.



## *Six "A"*

Top to bottom, first row: Sandra Hiley, Lydia Britt, Clarke Peterman, Larry Jackson, Thomas McMonogal, Beth Cleveland, Ronnie Hallman, Raymond Hill. Second row: Ray Pearson, David Joyner, Genie Tribble, Sandra Welch, Linda Colquett, Carol Holcomb, Jean Brady, Lavona Collins. Third row: Dollie Joe Jackson, Charles Goodrum, Betty Gassett, Dennis Porten, Donnie Sizemore, Patricia Smith, Sandra Morrel, Patricia Borders. Fourth row: Ann Lee, Ann Perry, Julee Outler, Bobbie Bowden, Jack Thorpe, Donna Camp, Jake Bradshaw, Bobby McKinney.



## *Six "B"*

Top to bottom, first row: Marcus Jackson, Thomas Greathouse, William Walker, Grace Matthews, Walter Moye, Charles Halley, John Pearson, Nim Tharpe, Rusty Tomlinson. Second row: Barney Shurly, Charles Davis, Robert Cummings, Sandra Greer, Renay McCollum, Johnny Bradshaw, Edgar McEarchen, Dick Carney. Third row: Dena Sanders, Glind Brown, Dorothy McGrothea, Faye Bruce, Carol Hutto, Garland Tyner, Warren Wall, John Alden. Fourth row: James Jones, Margie Sarrow, Connie Hodge, Ruby Bloodsworth, Sonny Bryant, Barbara Bass, David Brown, Kay Hallman.



*Superlatives*



*Best All-Round*

BEVERLY HUDSON PAUL SPAHOS



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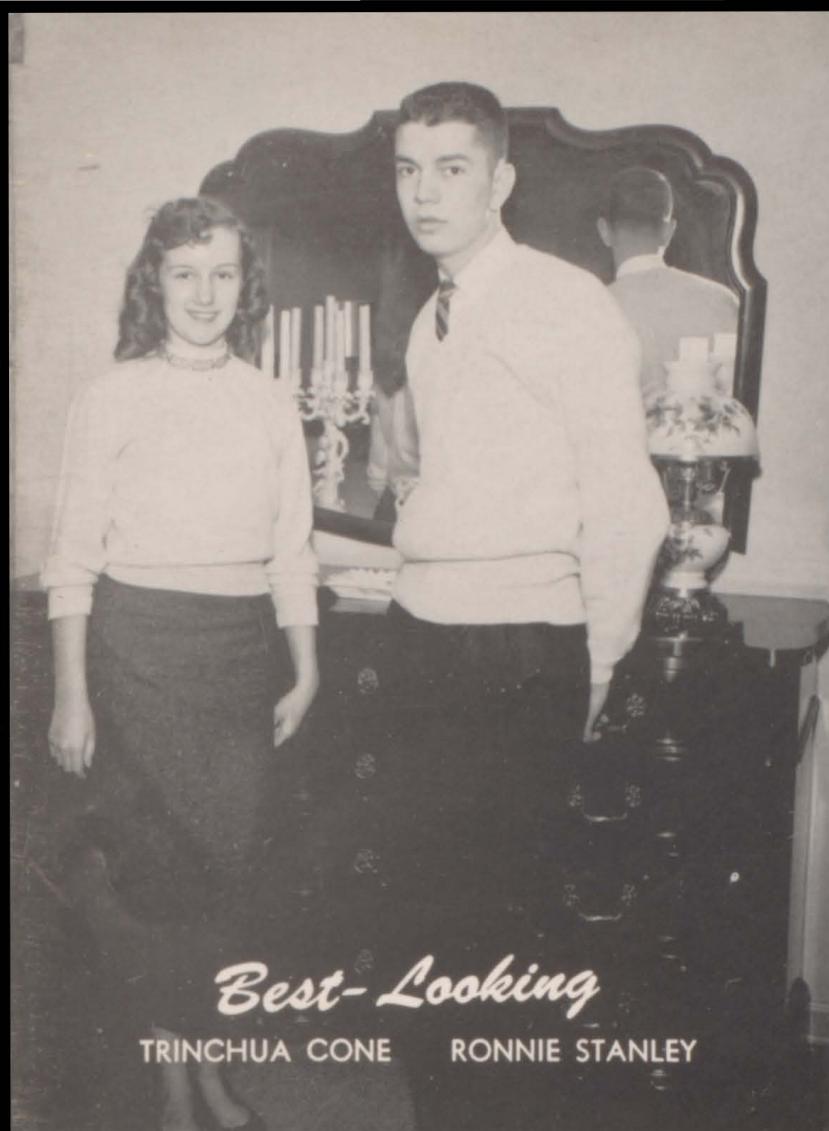
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HERSCHEL POLLARD JOBETH BARTLETT



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TRINCHUA CONE   RONNIE STANLEY



*Best-Dressed*

GENE CROWE   LIZ CAMPION



*Most Athletic*

HENRY WHEATON   JOBETH BARTLETT



*Wittiest*

DOT COLLINS   DAVID WESTMORELAND



*Most Happy-Go-Lucky*

DOT COLLINS GARY HORTMAN



*Most Studious*

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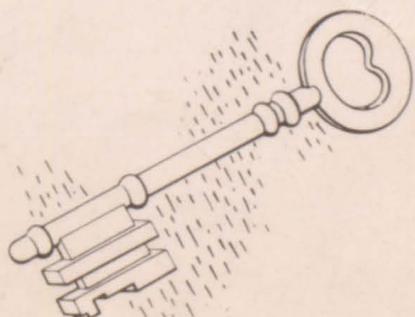
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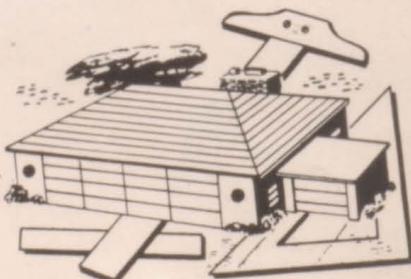




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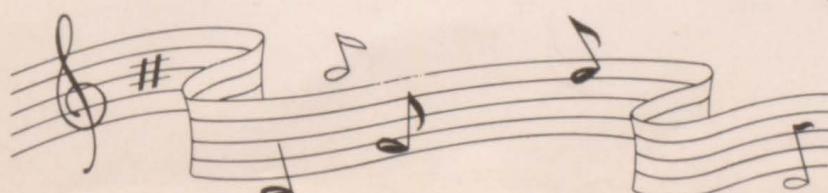


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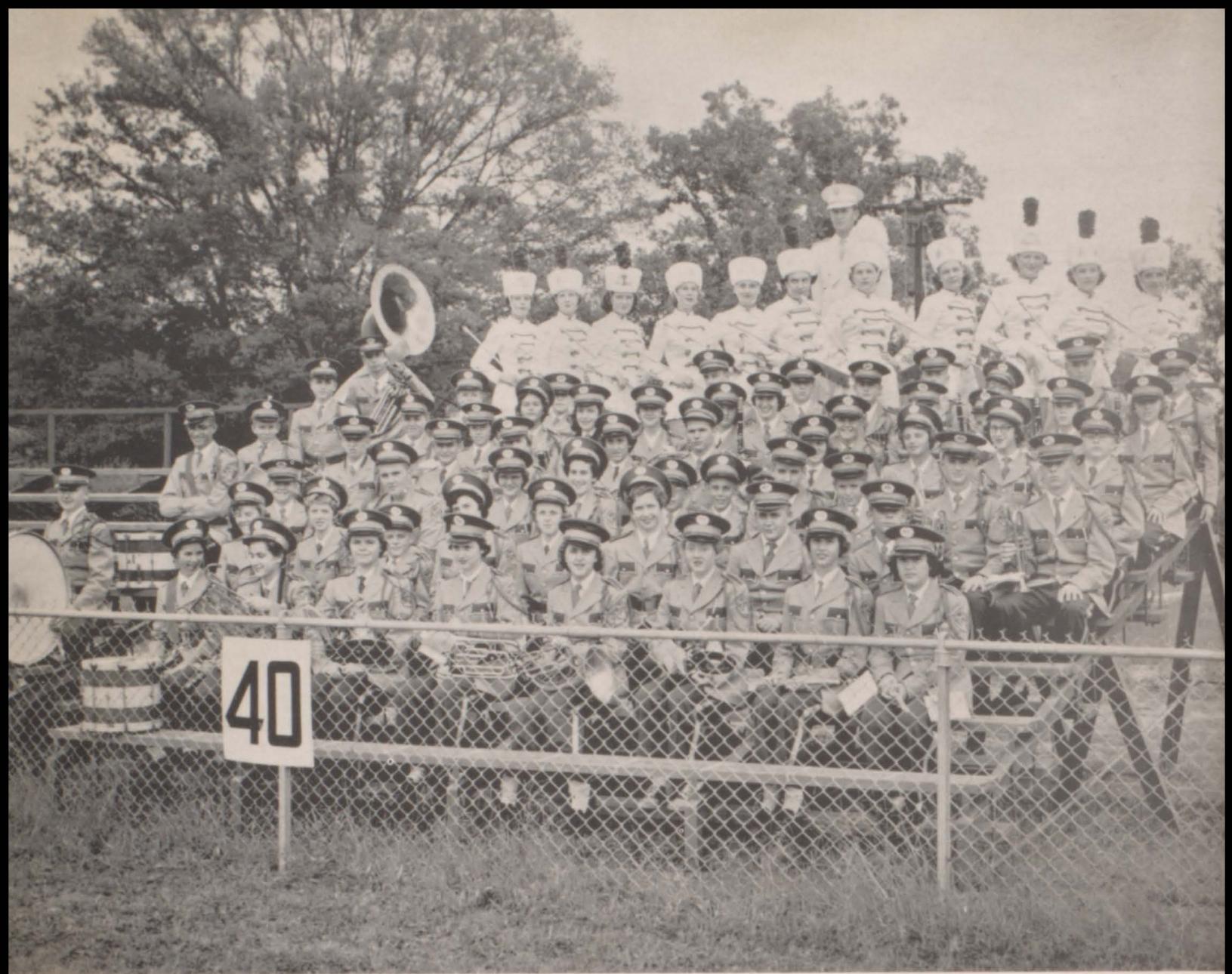


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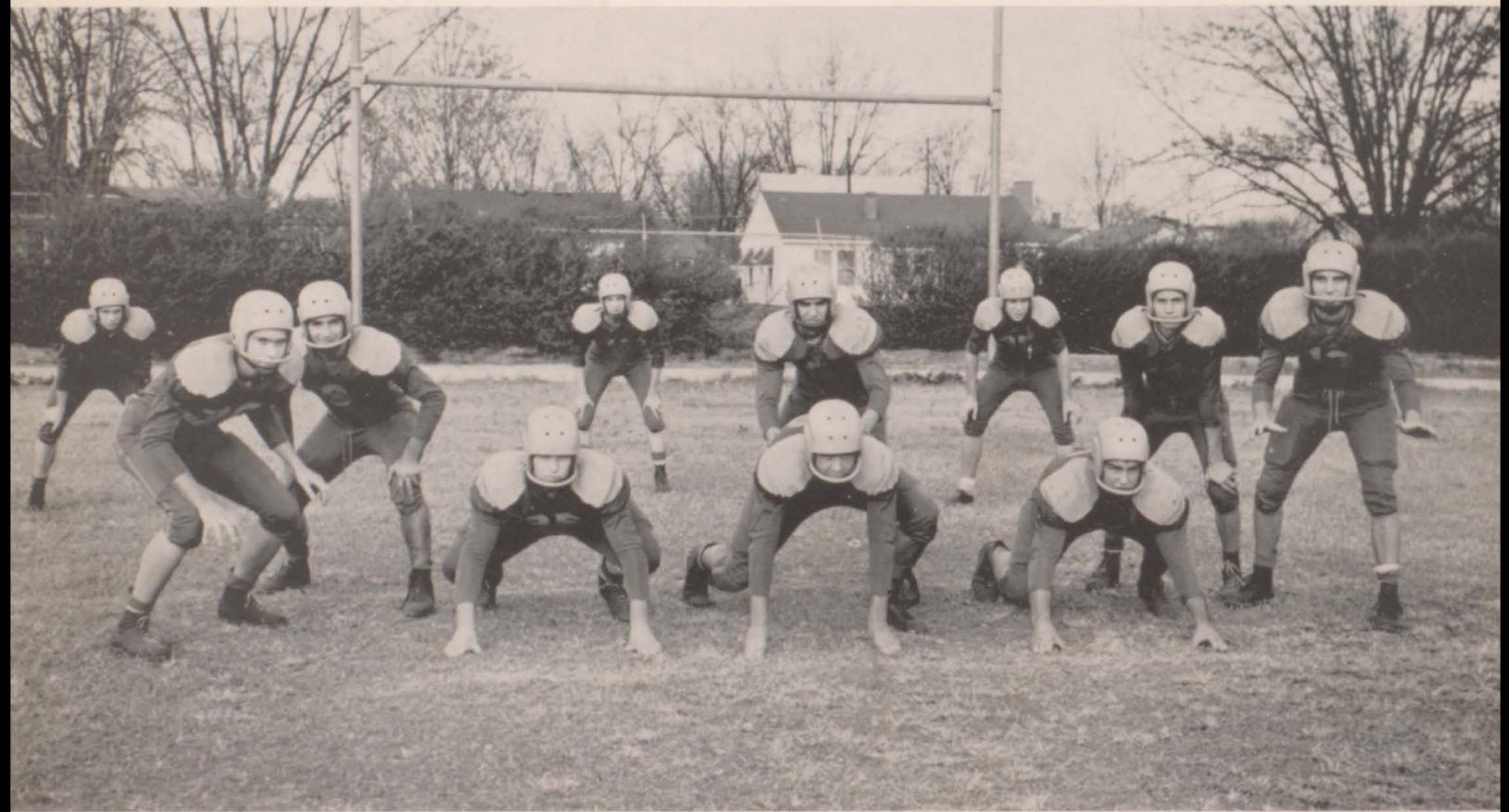
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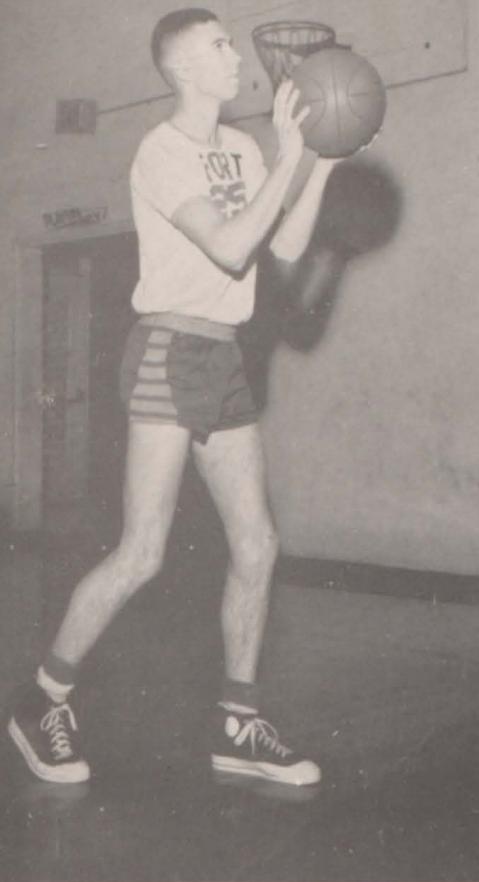
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Fort Valley	64	Forsyth	47
Fort Valley	43	Roberta	35
Fort Valley	52	Baker	80
Fort Valley	55	Warner Robins	32
Fort Valley	37	Oglethorpe	32
Fort Valley	52	Reynolds	37
Fort Valley	36	Wilkinson Co.	55
Fort Valley	63	Harris Co.	67
Fort Valley	56	Forsyth	37
Fort Valley	50	Montezuma	53
Fort Valley	80	Byron	38
Fort Valley	48	Lanier	42
Fort Valley	56	Warner Robins	38
Fort Valley	43	Lanier	42
Fort Valley	45	Montezuma	51
Fort Valley	67	Byron	42
Fort Valley	59	Oglethorpe	53

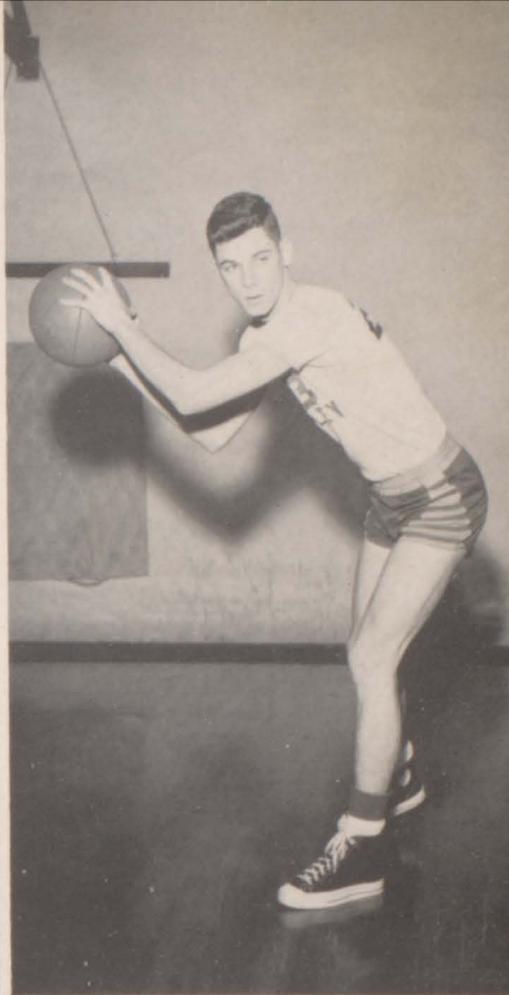
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Fort Valley	59	Montezuma	43

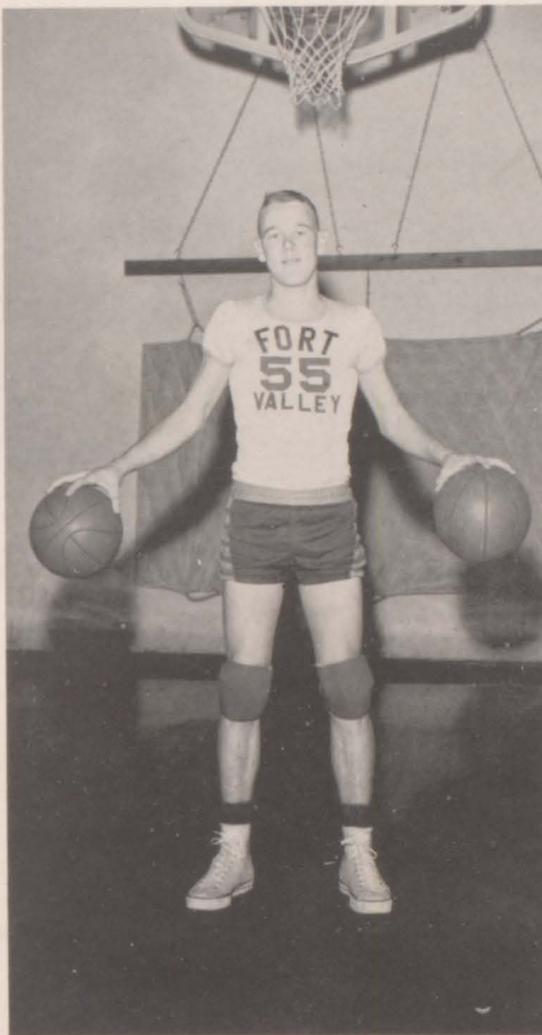
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AL HUTTO  
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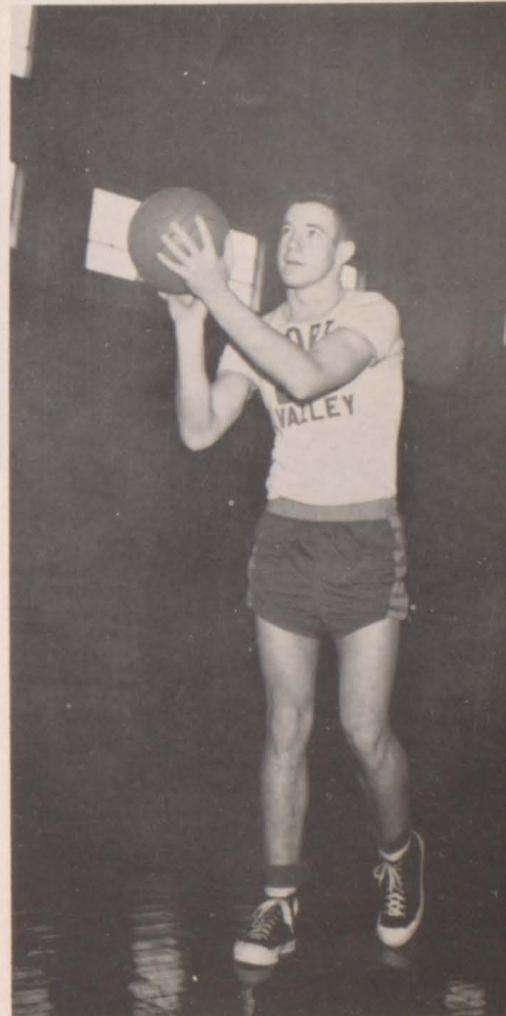
HENRY WHEATON  
Guard



RUSSELL VENNES  
Forward



MAURICE HARPER  
Guard



JAMES BRAND  
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## *Girls' Basketball*

Fort Valley	43	Hawkinsville	22
Fort Valley	36	Forsyth	51
Fort Valley	37	Roberta	51
Fort Valley	45	Warner Robins	54
Fort Valley	45	Oglethorpe	62
Fort Valley	39	Reynolds	28
Fort Valley	21	Wilkinson Co.	51
Fort Valley	36	Harris Co.	53
Fort Valley	38	Forsyth	29
Fort Valley	45	Montezuma	40
Fort Valley	33	Byron	47
Fort Valley	51	Warner Robins	57
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Fort Valley	39	Byron	47
Fort Valley	46	Oglethorpe	67
Fort Valley	48	Hawkinsville	37



NORMA SUE HARRIS  
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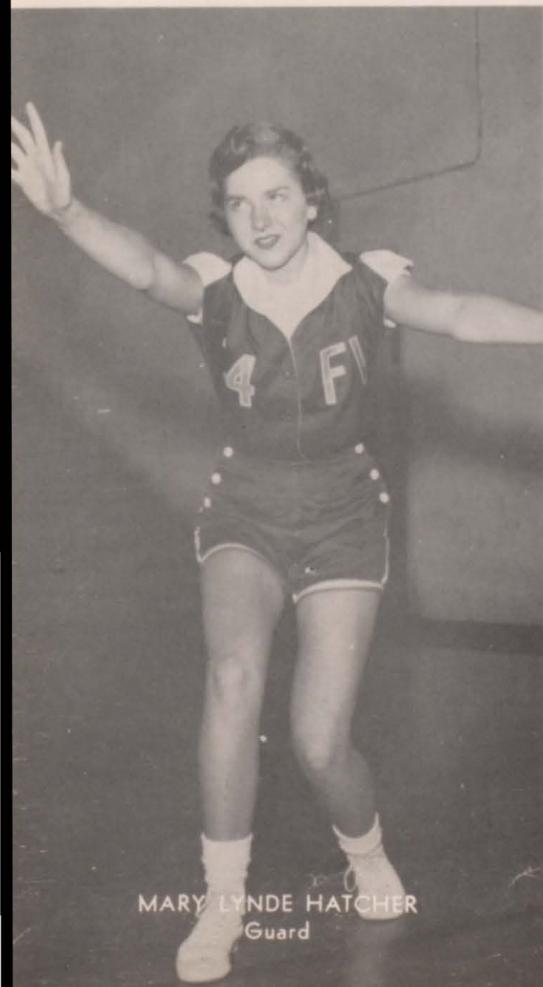


HOLLY DUPREE  
Forward



JOBETH BARTLETT  
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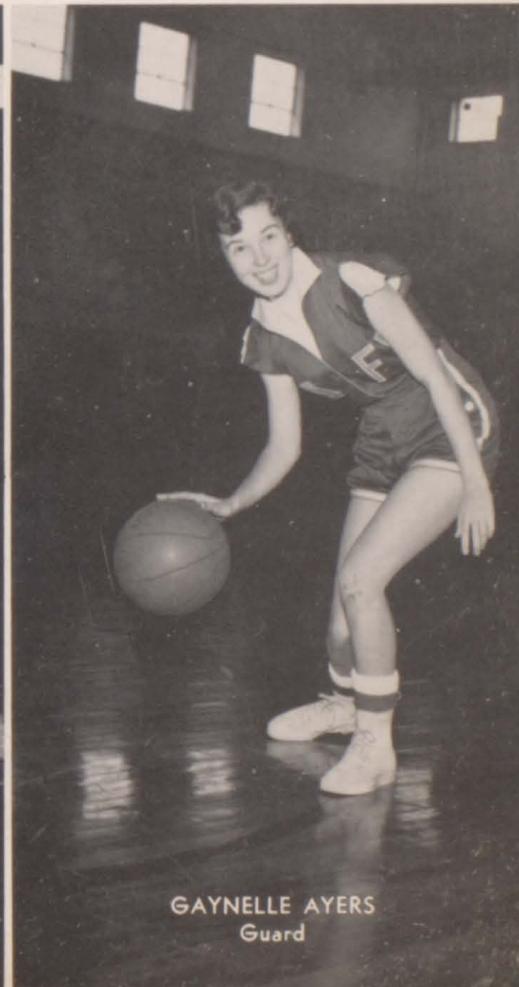
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MARY LYNDE HATCHER  
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MELROSE VINSON  
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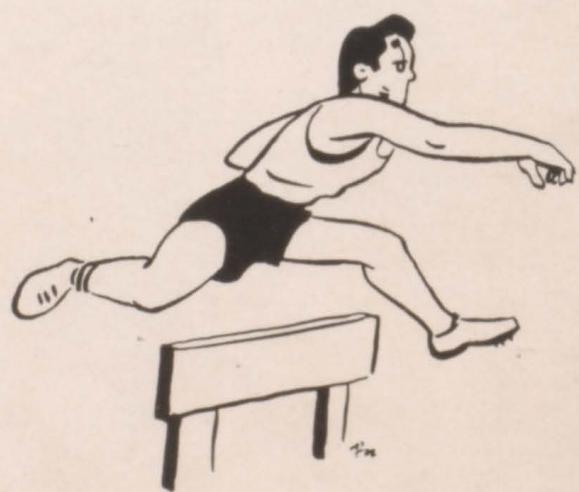


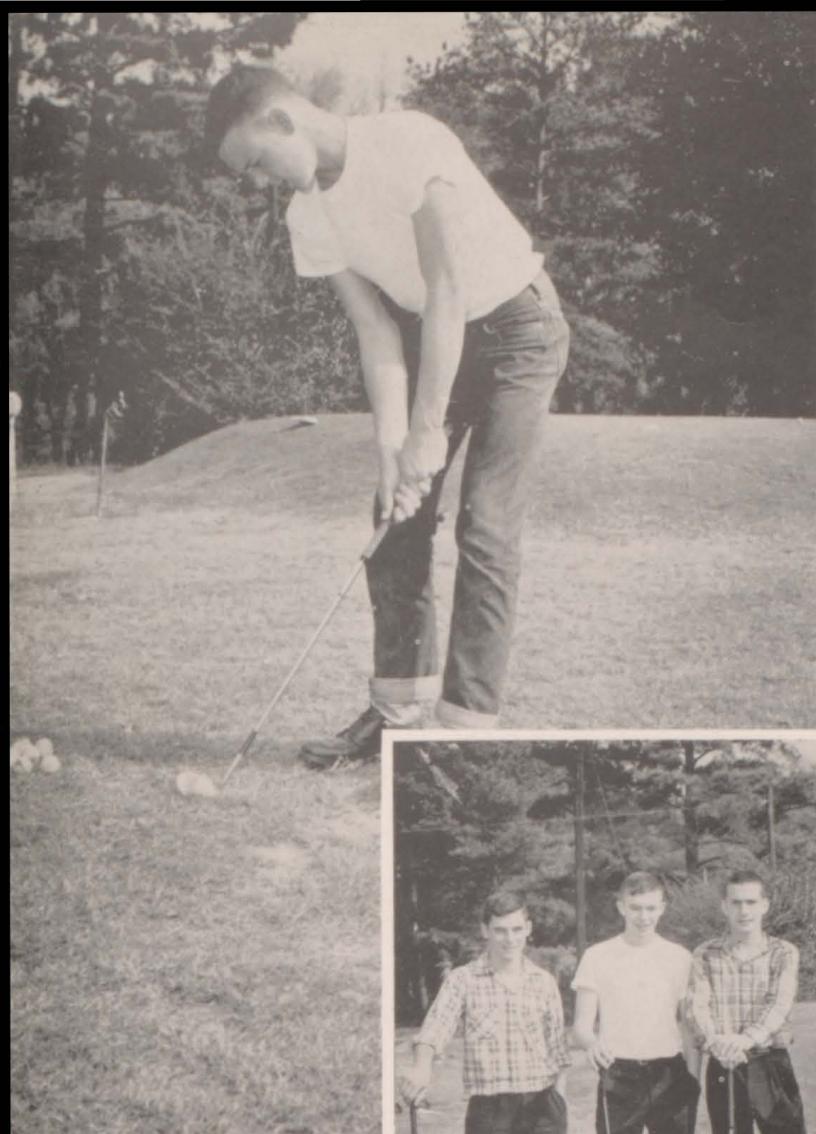
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## *Track Team*

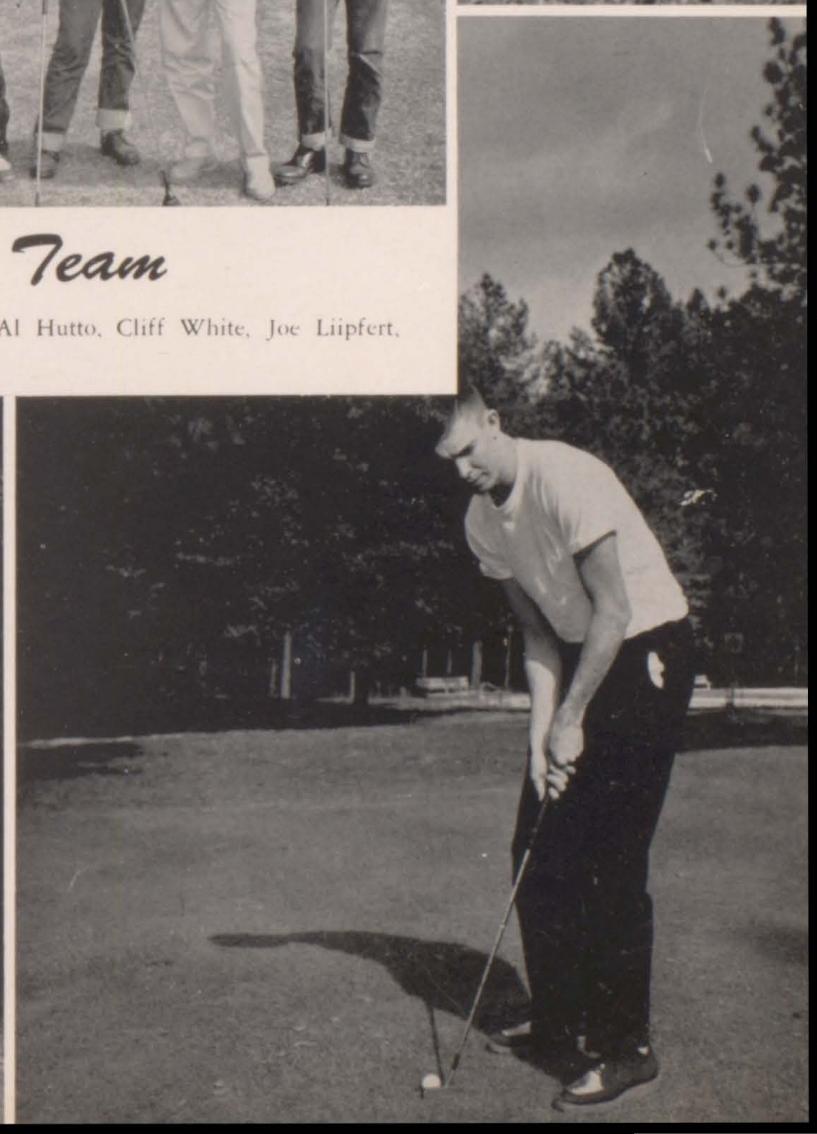
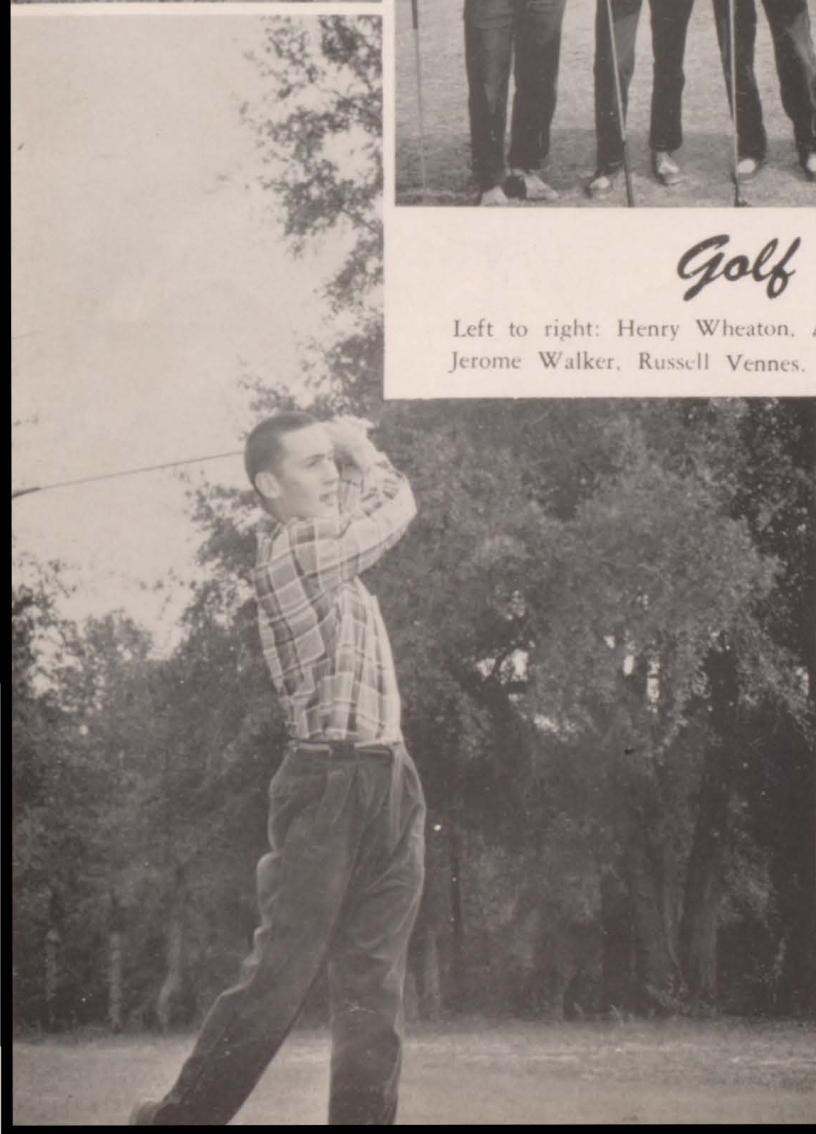
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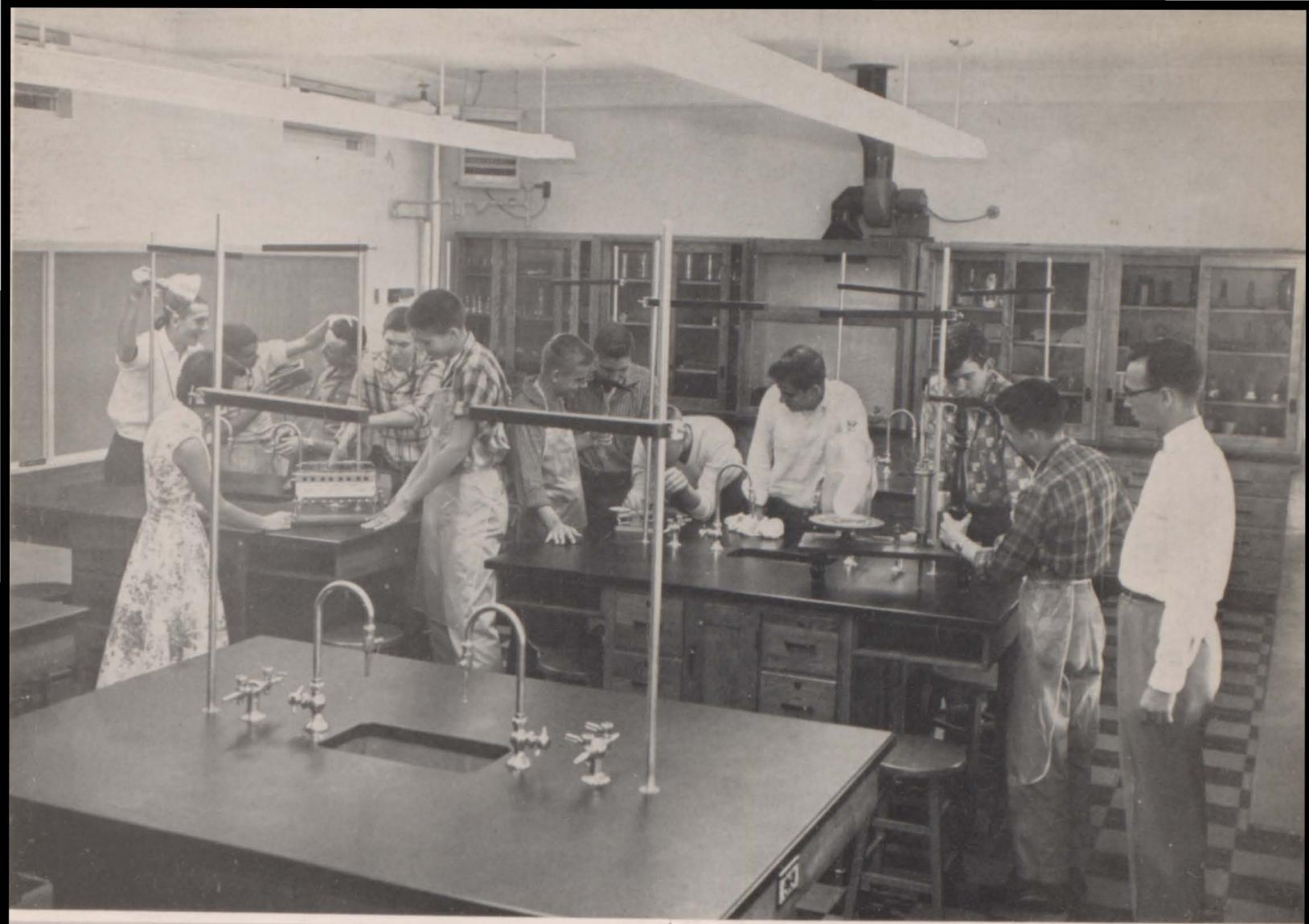
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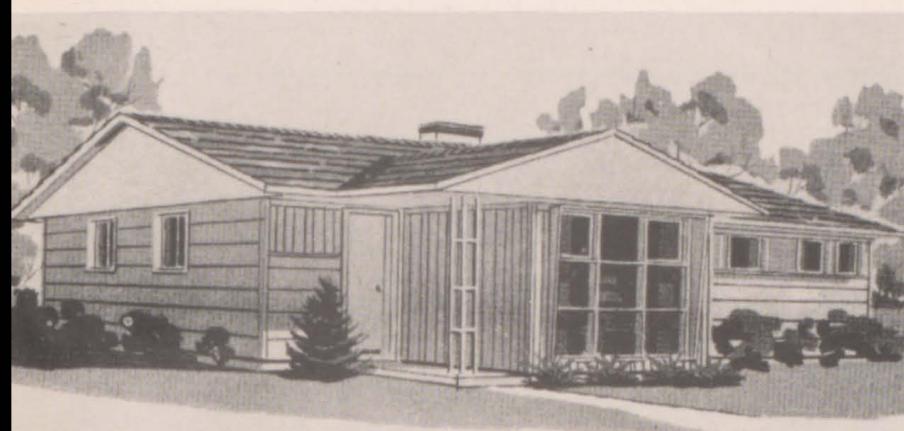
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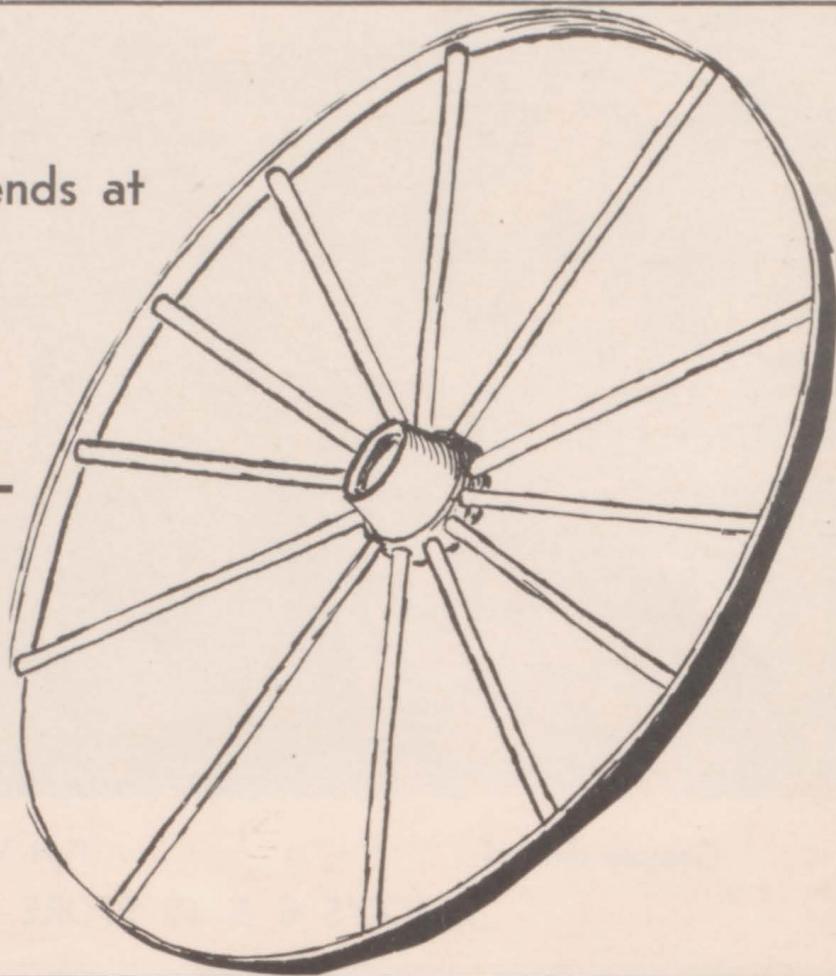
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This has been a wonderful experience for us—Making the pictures for the 1956 Vallihi. We sincerely enjoyed it! We hope that throughout your long and happy lives the portraits of you that we made this year will help you re-live in happy memories this wonderful year of your high school graduation.

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THE VALLIHI STAFF

# *Last Will and Testament of the Senior Class of 1956*

We, the Seniors of Fort Valley High School of the City of Fort Valley, County of Peach, State of Georgia, being of probable sound mind, do hereby make, publish, and declare this to be our last will and testament, hereby revoking any wills heretofore made by us.

Betty Jean Andrews leaves her ability to get to school on time to Bunny Johnson.

Gaynelle Ayers leaves her turtle-like typing speed to Pat Little in hopes she slows down considerably—in ways other than typing!

Jo Beth Bartlett is just leaving like the rest—but she's taking Henry with her!

Michael Borders leaves to Dan Joyner his ability to spell in hopes that he will use it better than he did!

Liz Campion is forced to leave Roy Anthoine.

Peggy Childre leaves her motto "Tout savior est tout pardonner" to Peggy Pearson.

Gene Crowe leaves his ability to get his homework to Micky Smith.

Trinchua Cone leaves her long hair and peroxide bottle to Maurice Swearingen.

Dot Collins leaves her little black Ford to Marian Lavendar.

Wynelle leaves her ability to cook and sew in the new Home Ec department and get along with Miss Holton to Delores Moody.

Mary Dixon leaves her wits and personality to Brenda Anthoine and hopes she enjoys them as much as she did.

A. W. Dorsey leaves his knowledge of Senior Literature to anyone in the Junior class who thinks they won't need it.

Ruby Lee Greene has nothing to leave, but Ellen Weldon wants it, so she can have it.

Ruby June Gibson is leaving—she's going to find Rudolph.

John Evans leaves his mechanical ability to anyone who can't make a — — — typewriter.

Pat Hallman leaves her interest in home economics to Anne Grahrl.

Mary Killen Houser leaves her tiny waistline to Glory Stephens.

Claudia Knight leaves her flirty ways to Jane Yaughn.

Al Hutto leaves his blue shirt and green pants and tennis shoes to Ellis "Tennis Shoe" Brown.

Beverly Hudson leaves her key to the school safe to anyone who needs an extra nickel now and then.

Elaine McMonigal leaves her Ankee yacent to Sara Lynn McFarland.

Harrell Middlebrooks leaves his ability to fix anything to Terry Parham in hopes that he will use it to the best of his ability.

Herschel Pollard leaves a hole in the ground every time he scratches off.

Paul Spahos leaves his old Life magazine to anybody who needs a current event.

Bill Schofill leaves one of his football shoes to Bruce Sparks so he can cut it down and make him a leather jacket.

Russell Ray leaves his hot rod driving to Bobby Martin.

Barbara Ann Stafford leaves her silly giggle to Sue Taylor in hopes that she can control it.

Ronnie Stanley leaves his love for the coach to James Brand.

Doris Vining leaves her long hair to Shirley Crowe in hopes that hers will soon grow.

David Westmoreland leaves to Miss Thelma two strips of fat back and a case of syrup to feed her undernourished nephew, Gene, when he comes in from working on his "A" model.

Jerome Walker leaves his car to Jo Anne and Clisby, who already ride in it more than he does.

Henry Wheaton leaves us with this word: "I figure I'll need everything I have, so I'm leaving nothing to nobody and taking everything with me, including Jo Beth."

Cliff White leaves his speed in typing and football to Russell Vennes and Bennett Rigdon, in hopes that they won't hurt each other fighting over those sterling qualities.

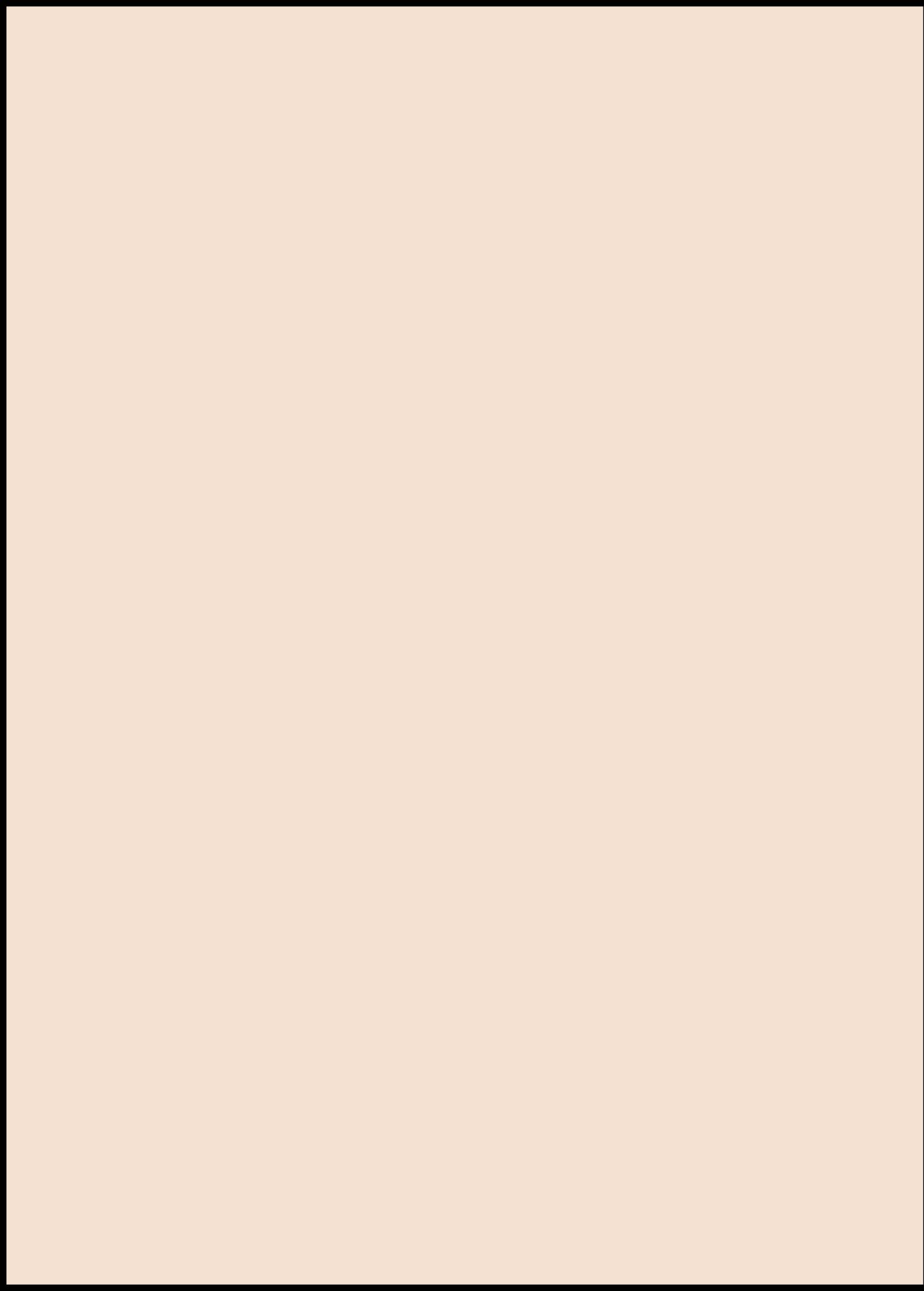
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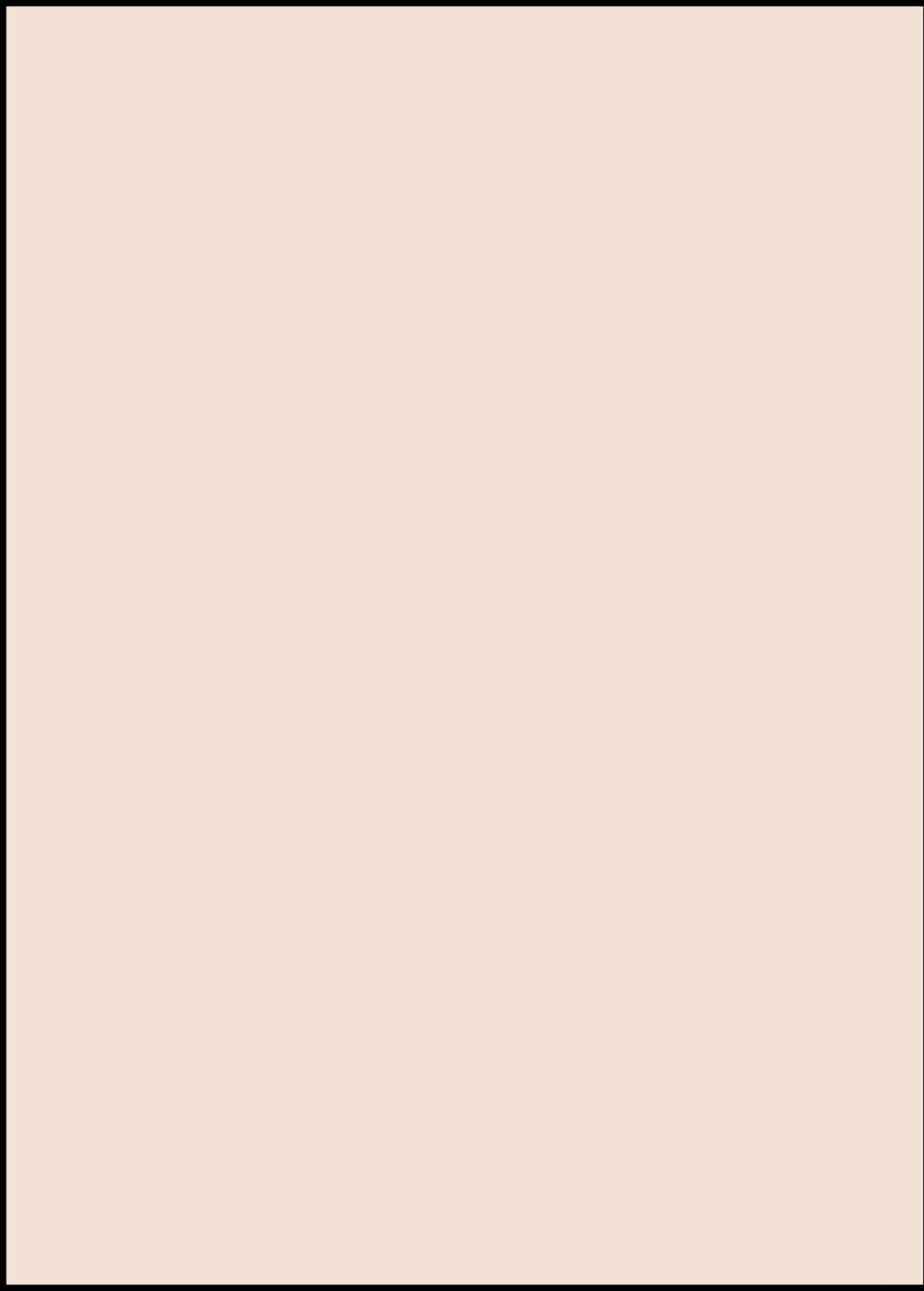


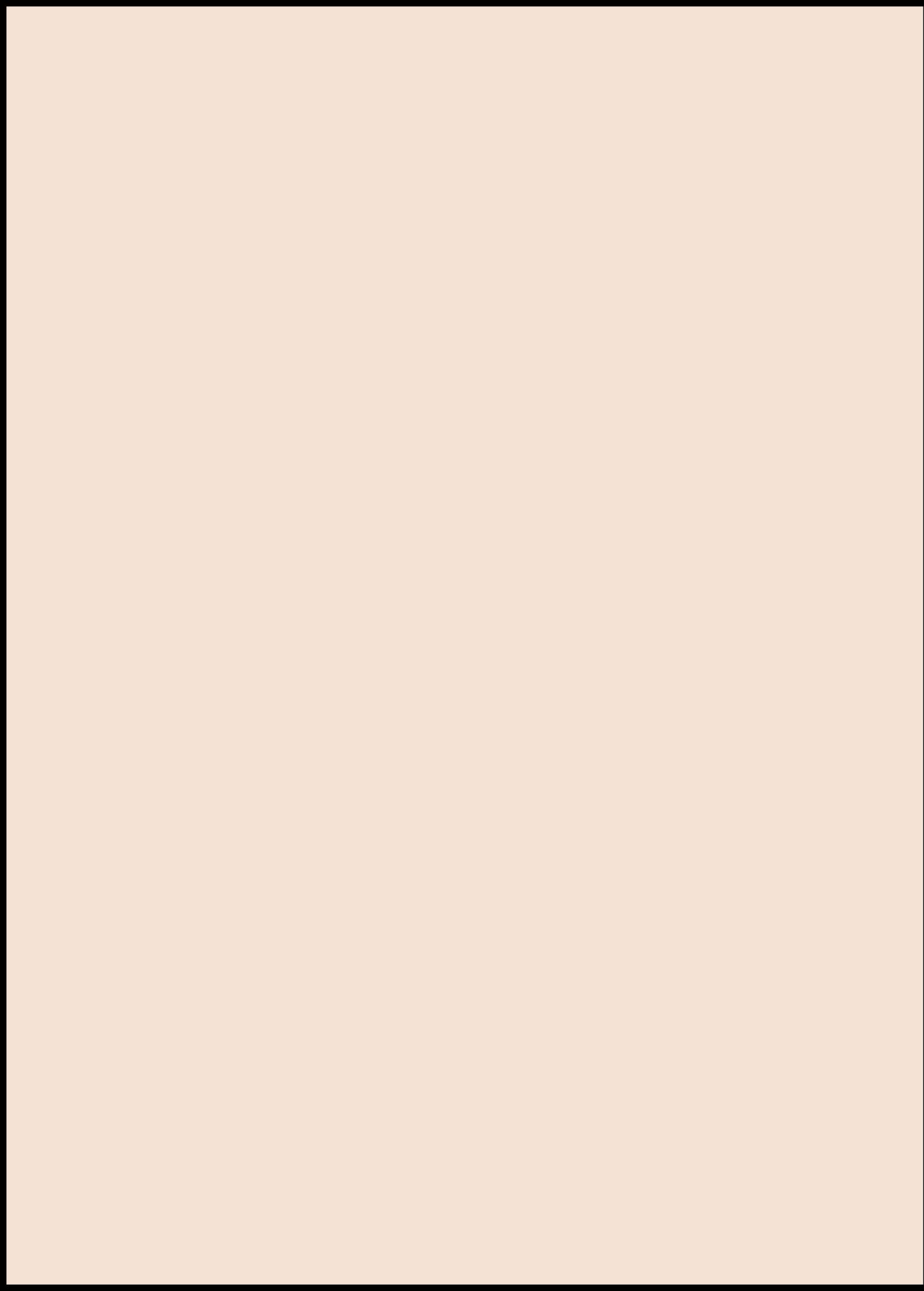


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